

106TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. CON. RES. 202

Expressing the sense of Congress that the Capitol Police Board should exercise the authority granted to it under law to exempt members of the United States Capitol Police with good service records from mandatory separation from employment at 57 years of age.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 20, 1999

Mr. TRAFICANT (for himself and Mr. BURTON of Indiana) submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Expressing the sense of Congress that the Capitol Police Board should exercise the authority granted to it under law to exempt members of the United States Capitol Police with good service records from mandatory separation from employment at 57 years of age.

Whereas the United States Capitol Police is facing a severe manpower shortage;

Whereas taxpayers are forced to pay millions of dollars each year in overtime for members of the United States Capitol Police;

Whereas having the United States Capitol Police retain experienced officers with good service records is a viable option to enhance the security of the Capitol complex and

reduce the costs associated with recruiting, hiring, and training new officers; and

Whereas Congress should do everything in its power to ensure that the United States Capitol Police retains as many experienced officers with good service records as possible: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*
 2 *concurring)*, That it is the sense of Congress that in the
 3 case of members of the United States Capitol Police with
 4 good service records, the Capitol Police Board should exercise the authority granted to it under sections 8335(d) and
 5 8425(c) of title 5, United States Code, to exempt those
 6 members from mandatory separation from employment at
 7 57 years of age.
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